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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2002, rejecting Claims 16-30 in the above-identified patent application. Inasmuch as the three month period for response, April 14, 2002, falls on a Sunday, then mailing this Amendment to the U.S. PTO on Monday, April 15, 2002, is considered to be timely. An Information Disclosure Statement, citing the same 22 references as in the parent application, is enclosed herewith, together with the appropriate fee. Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 10, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--The present application is related to the following applications: Serial Numbers 09/280,225 ("Molecular Wire Crossbar Interconnect (MWCI) for Signal Routing and Communications"), now U.S. Patent 6,314,019, issued November 6, 2001; 09/280,189 ("Molecular Wire Crossbar Memory"), now U.S. Patent 6,128,214, issued October 3, 2000; 09/280,045 ("Molecular Wire Crossbar Logic"); 09/282,049 ("Demultiplexer for a Molecular Wire Crossbar Network (MWCN DEMUX)"), now U.S. Patent 6,256,767, issued July 3, 2001; and